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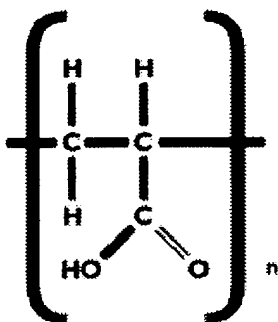
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Appearance: fluffy, white, mildly acidic powder

Bulk density: approximately 208 kg/m³ (13 lbs ft³)¹

Specific gravity: 1.41

Moisture content as shipped: 2.0% maximum

Equilibrium moisture content: 8 – 10% (at 50% relative humidity)

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pH of 1.0% water dispersion: 2.5 – 3.0

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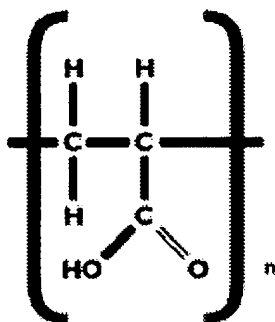
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*** IDENTIFICATION ***

NUMERO DE FICHE FTSS : 3331401
NOM(S) DU PRODUIT : CARBOPOL* 941 Polymerique
IDENTIFICATION DU PRODUIT : Product Number: CBP941
DATE DE LA FTSS : 2001-11-16
ACTUALITE : Cette FTSS a ete fournie au CCHST sous forme
electronique le 2002-07-26

*** INFORMATION DU FABRICANT ***

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**Carbopol® 934, 940, 941 Polymer
Product Specifications**

GENERAL

Solution Appearance: White Powder
Odor: Slightly Acetic

	% SOLUTION	MINIMUM	MAXIMUM	TEST FREQUENCY	BFG PROCEDURE NUMBER
Brookfield RVF or RVT Viscosity, cP: (20 rpm at 25° C, neutralized solutions)					
Carbopol 934	0.2%	2,050	5,450	Each Lot	430-I
	0.5%	30,500	39,400	Each Lot	
Carbopol 940	0.2%	19,000	35,000	Once/20 Lots	430-I
	0.5%	40,000	60,000	Each Lot	
	1.0%	45,000	80,000	Once/20 Lots	
Carbopol 941	0.05%	700	3,000	Once/20 Lots	430-I
	0.2%	1,950	7,000	Once/20 Lots	
	0.5%	4,000	11,000	Each Lot	
Moisture Content:	—	—	2.0%	Once/10 Lots	SA-004
Carbopol 934	—	—	2.0%	Once/10 Lots	SA-004
Carbopol 940	—	—	2.0%	Once/10 Lots	SA-004
Carbopol 941	—	—	2.0%	Once/10 Lots	SA-004
Heavy Metals: (Pb, As, Hg, Sb)	—	—	10 ppm	Once/200 Lots	SA-012
Clarity, % Transmission: (neutralized solution, 420 nM light)	0.5%	85%	—	Each Lot	485-D
Carbopol 940	—	—	0.5%	Each Lot	SA-006

Residual Benzene, %:

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